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Applicant : BISHOP, FRED ALAN, et al. Confirmation No.: 3558
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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in reply to Final Office Action dated June 27, 2007. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the Remarks as follows.

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